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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, applicants' undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office the following reference. A copy of the reference as well as Form PTO/SB/08A is attached hereto. This is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that a reference is relevant merely because cited.

U.S. Patent No. 5,926,482 to Christie et al. discloses a telecommunications apparatus system and method with an enhanced signal transfer point.

Early passage of the subject application to issue is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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